

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-12. (canceled)

13. (previously presented) An information recording method of recording record information comprising a plurality of data blocks, each of the data blocks comprising a plurality of data units, on a recording medium, the method comprising the steps of:

recording first record information;

terminating recording after recording ID information subsequent to the last data block containing the first record information;

detecting the ID information;

determining a position at which second recording is to be started on the basis of the detected ID information; and

starting second recording at the predetermined position.

14. (previously presented) The method according to claim 13, wherein the step of terminating recording terminates recording after recording dummy information for a predetermined amount subsequent to the ID information.

15. (previously presented) The method according to claim 13, wherein the second recording is started with new dummy information.

16. (previously presented) The method according to claim 13, wherein the second recording is started with second record information.

17. (previously presented) An information recording apparatus which records record information comprising a plurality of data blocks, each comprising a plurality of data units, on a recording medium, the apparatus comprising:

a recording device which records first record information and terminates recording after recording ID information subsequent to last data block containing the first record information;

a detecting device which detects the ID information;

a determining device which determines a position at which second recording is to be started on the basis of the detected ID information; and

a second recording device which starts second recording at the determined position.

18. (previously presented) The apparatus according to claim 17, wherein the recording device terminates recording after recording dummy information for a predetermined amount subsequent to the ID information.

19. (previously presented) An information recording apparatus which records record information comprising a plurality of data blocks, each of the data blocks comprising a plurality of data units, on a recording medium in accordance with the following steps:

recording first record information;

terminating recording after recording ID information subsequent to last data block containing the first record information;

detecting the ID information;

determining a position at which second recording is to be started on the basis of the detected ID information; and

starting the second recording at the determined position.

20. (new) An information record medium recording information comprising a plurality of data blocks, each of the data blocks comprising a plurality of data units:

first record information is recorded;

recording is terminated after ID information subsequent to the last data block containing the first record information is recorded;

the recorded ID information is detected;

a position at which recording of second recording information is to be started on the basis of the detected ID information, is determined; and

the recording of second recording information is started from the determined position.

21. (new) The information record medium according to claim 20, wherein the terminating recording is terminated after dummy information for a predetermined amount subsequent to the ID information is recorded.

22. (new) The information record medium according to claim 20, wherein the recording of second recording information is started with new dummy information.